St Cyprian's Link - 16th January 2022

Sunday 16th January

Anglican: The Church of England

Diocesan: St. Ninian's, Castle Douglas (Christopher Ketley, Alan Rumble)

Christ Church Dalbeatie (Christopher Ketley, John Simmons, Helen Evans.)

17th: The people and local authority of East Dunbartonshire.

18th: Those exploring new aspects of the Christian life.

19th: Porvoo Link – The Church of England

20th: Worldwide action for human rights.

21st: The Continuing refugee crisis.

23nd: All Christian charities and aid agencies.

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Please pray for these people: Bill Fergus; Barry Fergus; Barbara Fairlee, Rosa Revell and her sister; Shaunda Day, Justina Oguogu; Kennedy Fraser; Duncan and Shona Naysmith; Jean McLean and her mother; Jean Dick, Jean Kinnon, Margaret Conway; Susan Frost; Alan Paterson; Karen Rose; and those whose names are in the "Prayer Book" at the back of church.

We have worship in church and online at 10.30am.

The service will be streamed on Zoom. How to get into the streamed service is circulated by E.mail during the week, and is also posted on our website and other social media sites.

Hymns this Sunday are From "The Source":
335, 50, 190, 71
At Communion: 47

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On Thursday mornings we have worship at 10.00am, to which everyone is welcome – this is currently online.

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If you would like to get something into the Link please let our Rector Les Ireland know on 0141-776 3866 or e-mail rector@stcyprianslenzie.com by teatime on Wednesday evenings.

News about the 30th January:

At Christmas we decided that our 9.15am service would come to an end, with low numbers attending. However, at the request of those who come to that service, I have agreed that on the last Sunday of the month we will have the 9.15am service. The first "last Sunday" is the 30th, so there will be a 9.15am service that day.

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The North East Regional Council of our diocese, of which we are part, has decided to have a monthly united evening service at 7.00pm – again on the last Sunday of each month. The service will be on zoom only. The first of these services is on the 30th January. Again, access details will be circulated a little nearer the time.

Everyone is aware that with the new Omicron Variant Covid-19 rates are soaring. Current guidelines from the Scottish Episcopal Church, mean there will be no refreshments after our services for a few weeks.

Through these difficult times we are keen that people don't feel isolated or in need. If you need help, or simply want to chat feel just phone the Rector at any time on 0141 776 3866.

We have sadly just lost two former members of St. Cyprian's Church, and their funerals are this week, organised as the families have requested.

The Funeral for Jean Kinnon is on Wednesday (19th Jan) at 12 noon at Maryhill Crematorium.

The funeral for Eileen Donaldson will be at St. Cyprian's Church on Friday (21st Jan) at 11.30am, and afterwards at Daldowie Crematorium.

On the 23rd January, we will be sharing in a special service organised by ACTS Kirkintilloch & Lenzie (ACTS – Action of Churches Together in Scotland) **for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. The service is on Zoom only at 7.00pm. I will circulate the access details through the coming week. Come and join us.**